

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
ASHEVILLE DIVISION
1:16 cr 39-1**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Vs.)	ORDER
)	
DANIELLE DEVONNA JONES,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
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THIS MATTER has come before the undersigned pursuant to a Motion filed by Defendant, acting pro se, requesting a Writ of Habeas Corpus (#42). LCrR 47.1(H) states as follows:

(H) Pro Se Motions Filed by Criminal Defendants Who Have Not Waived Their Right to Counsel.

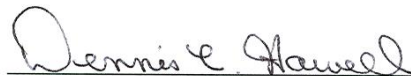
Except for challenges to the effective assistance of counsel, the Court will not ordinarily entertain a motion filed by a criminal defendant who is still represented by counsel and has not formally waived his or her right to counsel in the presence of a judicial officer after being fully advised of the consequences of waiver. Exceptions to this general rule may be made in the discretion of the judicial officer considering the *pro se* motion.

Defendant, in this case, is represented by counsel and she has not waived her right to counsel in this matter. As a result, the undersigned will not entertain Defendant's pro se motion (#42) and such will be denied.

ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the Pro Se Motion of the Defendant requesting a Writ of Habeas Corpus (#42) is **DENIED** for the reasons set forth above.

Signed: August 8, 2016

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Dennis L. Howell", written over a horizontal line.

Dennis L. Howell
United States Magistrate Judge

